

### REMARKS

The Office Action of October 26, 2005 has been received and its contents carefully considered.

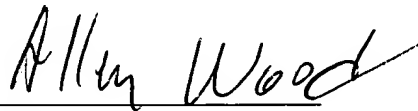
The present Amendment corrects an inadvertent error in claim 10.

The present Amendment also cancels rejected claims 4 and 8, and places the objected-to claims in independent form. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for allowance.

It is noted that the application has been amended to include five independent claims. Accordingly, an additional claim fee of \$400 is being submitted concurrently.

Allowance of the application in view of the foregoing is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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